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FM AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7419

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E.O. 11652 N/A

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SUBJ: CIVAIR: ANTI-HIJACKING PASSENGER PRESCREENING

REF: A) STATE 149612; B) STATE A-5662, JULY 3, 1973

ONLY SCHEDULED US CARRIER OPERATING IN DENMARK IS PANAM, WHOSE
COPENHAGEN MANAGING DIRECTOR TOLD US THAT DANISH AUTHORITIES HAVE
BEEN FULLY COOPERATIVE IN ARRANGING PASSENGER PRESCREENING.

INSPECTION IS PERFORMED BY DANISH OFFICIALS BUT WITH PROCEDURES
RECOMMENDED BY PANAM AND IN KEEPING WITH FAA REGULATIONS (REF B).
ONLY PROBLEM, ACCORDING TO PANAM MANAGING DIRECTOR, IS THAT OTHER
AIRLINES NOW DESIRE SAME PROCEDURES, THUS PUTTING STRAIN ON LIMITED
DANISH OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT. WE WERE GIVEN TO UNDERSTAND
THAT RESULT IS SOMETIMES A LESS THAN FULLY SATISFACTORY INSPECTION
PROCEDURE. HOWEVER, IN PERIOD BEGINNING AT LEAST SEVERAL DAYS PRIOR
TO JAL-747 HIJACKING, COPENHAGEN (KASTRUP) AIRPORT WAS ON "RED
ALERT". SINCE HIJACKING AND FOLLOWING RUMORS OF POSSIBLE EFFORT
BEING MADE AT A SCANDINAVIAN AIRPORT TO SEIZE A PLANE, KASTRUP
HAS CONTINUED MUCH STRICTER THAN USUAL SECURITY MEASURES, INCLUDING
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PASSENGER INSPECTIONS.

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